



PRE-CHRISTMAS SALE OF FINEST

## Georgette Blouses

**\$5    \$7.50    \$10**

Packed in Dainty Holiday Boxes, All Ready to Present Christmas Morning

Every One Reduced in Price For Friday and Saturday—Could a Sale Be More Opportune?

Why are they reduced in price? The answer can best be summed up in a few words—"It's just Bry's way of doing things." Nothing wrong with them. They embrace only the season's best selling numbers, all perfect and last numbers to arrive.

They are elaborate Georgette creations, some are beaded and hand embroidered; others are braided or trimmed with combinations of contrasting colors or pretty laces; every conceivable style of collars, sleeves or collarless models. And in the colors are the darker rich combinations as well as the light delicate ones; sizes 36 to 46.

### UNUSUAL CHRISTMAS SWEATERS

These Are Our Regular Prices and They Are Truly Remarkable Values

Best quality yarn in a heavy mannish stitch. The convertible collars may be worn high or low, with belts or narrow sashes, in any staple shade, such as black, navy, open, rose, cardinal, gray, rose and green.

**Silk Blouses**  
In Xmas Boxes

Tailored or lace trimmed  
Jap silk of excellent quality,  
in flesh and white only;  
sizes 38 to 44, \$1.98.

**Bry's**  
MEMPHIS, TENN.

**Cotton Blouses**  
In Xmas Boxes

Lace trimmed or embroidered  
voiles or batistes with  
flat or roll collars, in several  
styles; \$1.98.

#### FORMS FARM BUREAU.

LADUCAH, Ky., Dec. 1. (S. I.)—Following the example of other counties in Western Kentucky, Ballard county is taking steps this week toward the organizing of a farm bureau. Meetings are being held each day in the various districts of the county, with speakers from the State Agricultural college explaining the work. Up to the present

time, with the exception of Ballard county, all counties of the First district have organized farm bureaus.

**Don't Forget the Boss Christmas.**

He must have Samson's pure Havana cigars. Tadema, Julia Marlowe or some other good brand.

#### WILSON CONSIDERS MEXICAN MUDDLE

President Is Reviewing Action of Carranza Toward American Oil Interests.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 11.—President Wilson had before him today another memorandum on the Mexican situation, it related to the interference of the Carranza government in the operation of American-owned oil properties in Mexico, and was prepared by Chairman Payne of the shipping board. Upon information furnished by representatives of Mexican oil producers, Chairman Payne also sent a letter to Secretary Lansing urging that the state department take action toward protecting the American-owned oil properties in Mexico.

By the stoppage of drilling of new oil wells under decrees of the Mexican government, the shipping board has become concerned over the operation of the large merchant marine as the bulk of the fuel for the 600 oil-burning steamers has been obtained from the Mexican fields. Should this supply be cut off, it was pointed out, operation of the vessels necessarily would be curtailed as only a small supply of oil is on hand.

It has developed that the state department during the last six months dispatched three notes to the Carranza government protesting against the oil decrees but no notice have been received from President Carranza. It was learned today that Mexican soldiers had halted drilling operations of American companies on the ground that permits to drill had not been obtained. Under the Mexican government decrees foreign oil companies must agree in advance that the new wells shall become the property of the Mexican government.

Parents watch that croupy child—try Fluonia Salve, 25c. adv.

**BOND IS PREPARED FOR L. W. SNEED AT JONESBORO**

JONESBORO, Ark., Dec. 11. (S. I.)—The \$15,000 bond for Luther W. Sneed, convicted of killing his wife, Cora Sneed, and denied a new trial, whose case will be appealed to the supreme court within the next 15 days, was brought to the city signed by 21 men from Sneed's old home.

Owing to an error that was made in the drawing up of the bond it could not be legally accepted. So the men that brought it in secured a correct form and took it back to have it resigned by the same men that signed the other bond. They will bring back the correct bond today and Sneed will then be released pending the outcome of his appeal.

If it is a sewing machine for Christmas, Bry's has it. adv.

#### OFFICIALS REPORTED MAROONED ARE SAFE

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Dec. 11.—W. D. Nesbit, president of the Alabama state board of control, and C. B. Rogers, president of the state convict board, reported last night as being marooned

somewhere on the Tallapoosa river, north of Montgomery, are safe in Montgomery; this morning, after having spent the night in a house along the flooded river.

This information was received in a long distance telephone message to Mrs. Nesbit at her home here this morning.

**Don't Forget His Cigars.**

Samson knows the kind he likes. Just leave his name and address. adv.

## December BOOT SALE

Our Entire Stock of Fall and Winter Boots Is Placed on Sale at Big Reductions

**EXTRA SPECIAL!**

**Beautiful Novelty Boots**

Over 750 pairs of this season's newest creations in boots. A special purchase, late in arriving, enables us to place them in this sale at

**\$6.95**  
Values Up to \$12.50

Black satin in suede boots, with black silk moire tops. Patent lace boots, with colored kid tops. Dark brown, field mouse and gray kid lace boots, and many other styles included.

Boots that formerly sold for \$11 to \$13.50, reduced to \$9.75 pair.

Boots that formerly sold for \$14, \$15 and \$16, also several special lots of \$18 boots, \$12.50 pair.

Bench-made boots, \$17 and \$18 values, reduced to \$14.75 pair.

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MEMPHIS, TENN.

QUEEN QUALITY SHOP, MAIN FLOOR

**ORIGINALITY** Finds Expression In the Conception of an Idea, Cleverness In Its Application. This Is Most Forcibly Demonstrated in This Remarkable Collection of—

## Evening Dresses

The Product of America's Foremost Designer and Importer of Formal Wear for Women, Purchased Last Week Far Below the Real Value.



Sizes 16 to 40

Every one a masterpiece calculated and planned to grace the most fashionable social function known to the Smart Set—every dress a handsome, striking expression of the designer's art.

### WE MENTION A FEW UNUSUAL NUMBERS

Four handsome French models in the delicate pastel shades, brocaded in gold, draped overbodice of gold cloth handsomely embroidered in gold.

One exquisitely gown of gold cloth, en train, of handsome black and gold brocade, draped, tunic of cut jet and sequins, wide, soft girdle of gold cloth finished the bodice very effectively.

One original model fashioned of dark spangled lace embroidered in silk. You will marvel at the display of dinner and dance gowns, artistically draped and trimmed in French flowers.

Many shown in the new "lamp shade" effect, with a hoop that holds out the veiling drapery, leaving a slender silhouette; the handsome underslip of georgettes, tulle, taffetas and other beautiful quality materials.

One handsome creation of green crepe de chine with silk Brussels net, with wide bands of sequins, draped net waist, shoulder straps of net beads, butterfly and streamers of silk net.

Foundation of brown satin with touches of broadened overdrapery of silk-dotted nets; has a semi-low neck, short sleeves, girdle of satin, bands of Dresden.

Charming frocks of fine black satins; waist of net embroidered in tinsel; hanging bands of silver braid the entire length of the skirt make a stunning silhouette.

Evening gowns of pastel color soiree silk, panned, with ostrich plumes; low neck, no sleeves; ornamented with silver bows most gracefully fastened.

Silk foundation, side effects of frivolous little frills, in the spirit of the French modes; some straight effects, some with smart draperies.

## Exquisite Creations

Rich charmeuse, crepe meteor, beautiful chiffon, gold cloth, trimmed with Chantilly lace, flowers, tinsel lace and beads, some with bodice of panne velvet, with skirt of rich satins, heavily draped and puffed with silk, silk Brussels net.

Every becoming shade for party wear in the draped tunics, ruffled hip and straightline effects. Never before have such wonderful values been offered in dresses for party wear.

**Not One But Worth Double the Price**

## 12 Exclusive Models, \$125

Every One a Masterpiece Designed to Sell Upward to \$350

Women's Garment Shops Third Floor

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He—  
"Where did you get that good syrup?"

"It is certainly fine. Tastes more like sugar cane than any syrup I ever tasted. I want some of it every morning for my breakfast."

**NEW SOUTH SYRUP**

She—  
"I thought you'd like it."

"I am glad that you want some every morning for breakfast because syrup is a good food—you do not get tired of it and it simplifies the problem of the breakfast meal. I find that New South saves money for us. It is the least expensive of foods. New South Syrup is easy to get, too. I can find it at all first-class grocers."

New Orleans Coffee Co., Ltd.  
New Orleans

